



# PUBLIC NOTICE

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UNITED STATES BANKRUPTCY COURT  
DISTRICT OF SOUTH CAROLINA  
Brenda K. Argoe, Clerk of Court



TO: Practitioners/Constituents

SUBJECT: New Official Bankruptcy Forms

DATE: October 16, 2001

The Judicial Conference of the United States has approved amendments to two Official Bankruptcy Forms and, further, has approved a delayed effective date for the amended forms of December 1, 2001.

Official Form 1  
Official Form 15

Voluntary Petition  
Order Confirming a Plan

Official Form 1, the Voluntary Petition, has been amended to require the debtor to disclose whether the debtor owns or has possession of any property that poses or is alleged to pose a threat of imminent and identifiable harm to public health or safety.

Official Form 15, the Order Confirming a Plan, was amended to conform to amendments to Rule 3020 of the Federal Rules of Bankruptcy Procedure which also are expected to become effective December 1, 2001. Those amendments will require that, if the plan provides for an injunction against conduct not otherwise enjoined under the Bankruptcy Code, the order of confirmation shall describe in reasonable detail all acts enjoined, be specific regarding the injunction, and identify the entities subject to the injunction.

A copy of the forms may be obtained from the court's web page, [www.scb.uscourts.gov](http://www.scb.uscourts.gov), or from the kiosk in the public area of the Intake Division of the clerk's office (there is no charge for these forms).